

TODAY'S METAL PRICES

NEW YORK—Copper firm, 19c; iron, antimony, lead and zinc unchanged; tin \$63.50.

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WEATHER FORECAST

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PALMER ORDERS DRIVE ON COAL PROFITEERS

HOOVER TAKES STEPS FOR NOMINATION

HERBERT DECLARES HE CAN RUN ONLY AS G. O. P. MEMBER

Advices Hoover Clubs to "Go Easy" on Expenditures and Keep Books Open to Public

CANDIDATE REGARDS FREQUENT ABSENCES

Three More G. O. P. Candidates get Ready to Open Headquarters in Chicago

NEW YORK, April 3.—Herbert Hoover, who has announced he is ready to accept the Republican presidential nomination if it is demanded of him, issued a statement today in which he requested he be no further embarrassed by suggestions of some independent that his name be placed before any other party as "a primary sense of team work in any party organization would preclude such a possibility."

Mr. Hoover said in his statement he had no record of partisan activities and "admitted" that his political activity was confined to membership in a prominent Republican club and allegiance to the party over a period of years. He added that, because of his profession of mining engineer, continual shift of residence had prevented him from exercising as much as he desired the privilege of every citizen at the polls.

Asserting that his administrative duties in various relief organizations would prevent him from making a personal canvass for the nomination, Mr. Hoover said he expected Hoover organizations throughout the country would have to expend certain amounts for printing and other expenses, but that he hoped they would confine themselves to minor subscriptions and expenditures and would be prepared to open their books to public inspection.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Three more Republican candidates for the presidency are planning to open headquarters and join the Wood and Lowden forces on "presidential row" in a downtown hotel, it was announced today.

Rooms have been reserved by friends of Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University; Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts, and Senator Miles Poindexter.

The Harding and Hoover forces also are expected to open their headquarters here prior to the convention June 8.

JOHNSON ELOQUENT.
DETROIT, April 3.—Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California came back to Michigan to close his campaign for presidential preferment in Monday's primaries.

Discussing after the war problems, Senator Johnson said he had in favor of a social upheaval, that the country was in no danger of a revolution, but that he did fear reaction.

"There are sinister forces at work," he said, "to take away the progress that the people have made in the last few decades. Justice is the only cure for anarchy."

The senator expressed contempt for "two classes of men that have arisen since the war—patrioters and profiteers."

POINDEXTER SPEAKS.
SAGINAW, Mich., April 3.—Declaring that the league of nations is but a variation of former Kaiser Wilhelm's plan for centralization of the government of the world, Senator Miles Poindexter, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, delivered a scathing arraignment of the league before a large audience here.

The speaker appealed for a less centralized form of government, declaring that communities should be able to govern themselves. He also scored railroad organizations which threaten to tie up the transportation of the nation unless their demands for certain concessions were met.

PLAN COMBINATION OF WEDDING AND ENGAGEMENT RING

CHICAGO, April 3.—The number of marriage licenses taken out all over the United States in the first three months of leap year shows a large increase over that of last year and indicates that the ladies are on the job.

But there is a shortage in the supply of wedding rings reported and jewelers point out it may be well for the women not to overplay their hand by working too fast. The scarcity of gold and the big demand for plain gold bands are given as the cause of the ring famine.

The leap year situation is regarded so seriously by jewelers that the trade is considering putting on the market a ring especially designed to serve a dual purpose as engagement and wedding ring.

"This new combination ring," said a wholesale jeweler, "will increase jewelers' sales and at the same time decrease the high cost of marrying. If it proves popular, as I believe it will, it will establish a fashion which will remain a lasting souvenir of the 1920 leap year."

EDITOR SHOT FOR CALLING POLITICIAN CHAMPION OF FRAUD

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, April 2.—Political excitement prevails in this city tonight as a result of the death of Washington Beltran, editor of the newspaper El Pais, in a duel with former President Jose Batlle Ordonez this morning.

After the last election in Uruguay, the Nationalists accused the "Batlistes," the party headed by the former president, of fraud. Beltran's newspaper in an editorial discussing the elections called Batlle the "champion of fraud." It was this utterance that led to the fatal duel.

Opponents met in the midst of a pouring rainstorm and waited for three hours for the rain to cease. Because of the rain the two men decided to keep on their hats, but Beltran changed his straw hat for a felt, so that both might be on even terms.

Standing 25 paces apart, the duelists were given the word to fire. Beltran fired the first shot, but Batlle was struck by a bullet from Batlle's pistol and sank to the ground mortally wounded.

There is a law against dueling in Uruguay, but it is understood that one of the conditions agreed to by Beltran and Batlle was that neither would prosecute the other in case of injury. Duels are infrequent in this country.

Batlle, who was twice president of Uruguay and now is a member of the national administrative council, voluntarily gave himself up to the police, following an order by the state prosecutor for his arrest, as well as that of the doctors, seconds and other persons connected with the duel. He is being held incommunicado in a police station, and will be interrogated Saturday.

AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN FEAR ATTACK ON RELIEF WORKERS

President's Document Favoring Ousting of Turks from Constantinople Is Surprise

NOTE DISPLEASING TO GREEKS ALSO

Allies Inform Ottoman Government It Must Disavow Nationalist Movement

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—President Wilson's note to the allies intimating that the Turks must get out of Europe, came as a shock to all Turkish parties.

Mr. Wilson's note appeared in a slightly altered form which made the position of the United States harsher than it appeared in the full text of the communication.

The note was equally displeasing to the Greeks who were much offended at the American president's apparent unwillingness to grant their claims to a large district about Smyrna and his insistence that Adrianople be given to the Bulgarians.

American business men here are apprehensive over the effect of the president's stand and there is considerable uneasiness as to the effect it will have in Asiatic Turkey where 500 American teachers and missionaries are considered to be in considerable danger if the protection of Turkish forces should be withdrawn.

LONDON, April 3.—The allies have presented a collective note reiterating their demand that the Turkish government officially disavow the nationalist movement, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Constantinople under Tuesday's date.

NEW YORK DANGER IN STRIKE AVERTED

NEW YORK, April 3.—Traffic in New York harbor was still curtailed today by the strike of longshoremen and marine workers but the ferry lines except those of the Erie and West Shore railroads, were operating on virtually normal schedules.

Railroad officials claimed that all danger of interruption of the food and coal supplies had been averted.

Union officials reassured that the harbor would be tied up before nightfall, claiming that a misunderstanding in orders yesterday had prevented all the workers from joining the strike.

PEACE TREATY NOT PERMANENT, HE SAYS

BUDAPEST, April 2.—Count Albert Apponyi, returning from Paris today for a conference with Admiral Horthy, Hungarian regent and party leader, declared that peace treaties between the allied powers and the central empires were only temporary in nature.

"My impression is," he said, "that no allied statesmen sincerely believe the present peace treaties can hold for long. I have not lost hope and believe the position of Hungary to be better than it was a month ago."

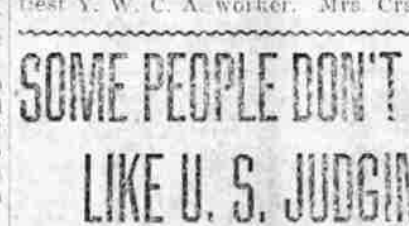
GENERAL SNOWSTORM RAGING IN NEBRASKA

LINCOLN, Neb., April 3.—A general snowstorm with low temperatures prevailed in Nebraska today. Weather bureau reports said the storm area extended as far west as Salt Lake City and predicted the snow would continue in this state all day and possibly to tomorrow. Fears were expressed in railroad circles that traffic may be hampered if the storm continues.

LEADING FIGURES IN COMING Y. W. C. A. CONVENTION



MRS. FRANCIS B. SAYRE



MRS. DONALD PRATT



MABEL CRATTY

These three women will be prominent in the national Y. W. C. A. convention to be held in Cleveland, April 13 to 20. Mrs. Sayre is well known as President Wilson's daughter. Mrs. Pratt has won the reputation of being the prettiest Y. W. C. A. worker. Mrs. Cratty is general secretary of the organization.

SOME PEOPLE DON'T LIKE U. S. JUDGING FROM S. A. PAPERS

BUENOS AIRES, April 2.—Recent American notes to Chile, Bolivia and Peru are described as "the fruit of diplomatic inexperience" by La Prensa, which declares they "do not reveal any political plan that should alarm the South American continent or give Argentina any ground for suspicion."

The newspaper declares that the American state department is an organ of international politics rather than internationalism.

"Men of the United States," continues La Prensa, "have generally written on delicate and susceptible international questions with crudeness with which they treat internal politics. These antecedents induce us to think the notes in question do not correspond to the setting of a continuous protectorate which is contemptuous in regard to lesser republics. They are an instance of inadvertence and lack of diplomatic tact."

Discussing the attitude of Argentina the editorial says:

"The United States accepts all occasions for demonstrating her friendship to Argentina. No motive exists then for suspicion or distrust in our country as to the South American policy of that nation. Argentina's future line of conduct should be such as to always lend influence toward conciliation in conflicts between European countries and the United States and in South America support the United States in all attitudes which would assure peaceful solutions to conflicts between the allied powers and the central empires."

Canvases of the votes cast in the recent elections shows that out of 153 seats in the next congress, which will convene in May, radicals will hold at least 102. The count is completed with the exception of one province where only one seat is involved. Conservatives and Democrats who were allied in the campaign, will have 45 seats and the Socialists 10.

RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIKI CAPTURE NEW TOWN

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—Vladikavkaz, an important military station and trading center in Circassia, has been captured by the Russian Bolsheviks, according to advices received here.

Vladikavkaz is situated on the Terek river about 95 miles due north of Tiflis. Its capture, together with that of Petrovsk, on the west shore of the Caspian sea, which was reported this week, shows an advance of Bolsheviks toward the great oil center of Baku and the frontier of the Georgian republic.

RAID BY THIEVES FEARED IN MILLION DOLLAR GALLERY

CHICAGO, April 3.—Fearing art thieves were planning to loot the house, conservators of the estate of Mrs. W. W. Kimball today asked the Chicago Art Institute to take charge of the Kimball collection of paintings, jade and other art objects.

Mrs. Kimball is the aged widow of the piano manufacturer. Experts who recently examined the collection valued the pictures at "far in excess of \$2,000,000." The jades and other pieces were pronounced "valuable beyond estimate."

MEXICAN DENIES HE SIGNED PROCLAMATION

PARIS, April 3.—Francisco de la Barra, former provisional president of Mexico, today denied knowledge of the proclamation issued on Friday at Aguila Prieta, Mexico, announcing the establishment of a new united government in that country.

When informed by the Associated Press that the proclamation was reported to have been signed by him, he said:

"If such a document exists, it is a forgery. I have the greatest esteem for Emilio Rebas, (named in the proclamation as secretary of foreign relations in the new government), but am entirely unaware of any such movement as reported."

De la Barra is busily occupied in Paris as counsel for British, American and French banks. He is an expert in international law.

ATTORNEY GENERAL REPLIES TO NOTICE OF FUEL ADVANCE

Increase In Price Should Be Only 20 Cents a Ton At Mine, Claim

DISTRICT ATTORNEYS TOLD TO GET BUSY

Demand For Export Coal No Excuse For Raising Price Palmer Declares

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Federal district attorneys were instructed today by Attorney General Palmer to receive and consider complaints of profiteering in bituminous coal which may arise in your district under the Lever act.

Mr. Palmer's telegram was prepared after some bituminous coal operators had stated publicly that the new wage scale agreed under the terms of the award by the coal strike settlement commission would result in an increase of from 60 cents to \$1.25 a ton on coal.

Pointing out that the total increase in wages had been estimated at approximately \$200,000,000 a year, Mr. Palmer said that if this entire amount were "added by the operators to the price, it would only make an increase of 40 cents a ton."

"If, however, the operators absorb the 14 per cent increase which became effective in December," said the attorney general, "there will be left only \$56,000,000 to be passed on to the consumer. In this event the increase in the price of coal at the mine should amount to 20 cents a ton."

Mr. Palmer said he understood operators had estimated the demand for export coal would be 100,000,000 tons, but that port facilities are only adequate for the export of 30,000,000 tons per annum. This, he said, should not be made an excuse for raising the price.

MILITARY ACTIVITY IN IRELAND NOTED

BELFAST, April 3.—In addition to pronounced military activity in the vicinity of Londonderry today, all the roads about the town being patrolled, the passengers who arrived by the Scotch boat at Londonderry were searched by the police. Meanwhile violent scenes were reported taking place among the Sinn Fein prisoners confined in Londonderry jail.

Unusual activity also was displayed by authorities at Dundalk, mid-way between Belfast and Dublin, special patrols being posted at all approaches to the town. Motor car drivers were required to produce permits.

SYNDICATE TO TAKE OVER GERMAN SHIPS

PARIS, April 3.—(Havas.)—German ships seized by Brazil will be taken over by a syndicate of French ship owners on payment of \$26,000,000, according to the Journal, which says the matter has been definitely settled.

STEEL MAGNATE DIES

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 3.—Charles H. McCulloch, Jr., president of the Lackawanna Steel company, died today in Baltimore, according to a telegram received by the company here. McCulloch was appointed president January 1, 1919.

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